

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2419, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. WELCH OF VERMONT

Section 4303(1)(B) is amended in the quoted matter by striking subparagraphs (A) and (B) and inserting the following:

1 “(A) each State in a manner that ensures
2 that the funds available to carry out the pro-
3 gram are—
4 “(i) used for 35 elementary or sec-
5 ondary schools in the State; and
6 “(ii) to the maximum extent prac-
7 ticable, equally distributed among all
8 States; and
9 “(B) to the extent funds are available after
10 carrying out subparagraph (A), additional ele-
11 mentary or secondary schools in each State in
12 proportion to the student population of the
13 State; and”.

Section 4303 is further amended by striking para-
graph (2) and inserting the following:

14 (2) in paragraph (3)(A)—

1 (A) in the matter preceding clause (i) by
2 striking “paragraph (1)(B)” and inserting
3 “paragraph (1)”;

4 (B) in clause (iii) by striking “and” at the
5 end;

6 (C) in clause (iv) by striking the period at
7 the end and inserting “; and”; and

8 (D) by adding at the end the following:

9 “(v) encourage plans for implementa-
10 tion that include locally grown foods, where
11 geographically available, in accordance
12 with section 9(j).”.